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EXAMINING GROUP 1773

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Tatarka, et al.  
Appl. No.: 09/431,931  
Filed: November 1, 1999  
For: PUNCTURE RESISTANT, HIGH SHRINK FILMS, BLENDS, AND PROCESS

Group Art Unit: 1773  
Examiner: M. Jackson

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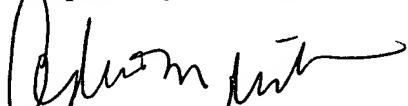
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5. I am the  applicant/inventor  
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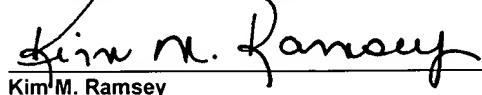


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